

1725  
#9B  
RECEIVED  
11/5/03  
NOV 05 2003  
GROUP 1700

41 In re Patent Application  
NAIR et al.  
Serial No. 09/981,632  
Filed: October 18, 2001  
Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR CLEANING GENERATOR AND TURBINE COMPONENTS  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
Atty Dkt. 839-1060  
C# M#  
Group Art Unit: 1725  
Examiner: JOHNSON, Jonathan J.  
Date: November 3, 2003

Sir:

**RESPONSE/AMENDMENT/LETTER**

This is a response/amendment/letter in the above-identified application and includes an attachment which is hereby incorporated by reference and the signature below serves as the signature to the attachment in the absence of any other signature thereon.

☒ **Correspondence Address Indication Form Attached.**

**Fees are attached as calculated below:**

Total effective claims after amendment	7	minus highest number		
previously paid for	20	(at least 20) =	0 x \$ 18.00	\$ 0.00
Independent claims after amendment	3	minus highest number		
previously paid for	3	(at least 3) =	0 x \$ 86.00	\$ 0.00
If proper multiple dependent claims now added for first time, add \$290.00 (ignore improper)				\$ 0.00
Petition is hereby made to extend the current due date so as to cover the filing date of this paper and attachment(s) (\$110.00/1 month; \$420.00/2 months; \$950.00/3 months)				\$ 0.00
Terminal disclaimer enclosed, add \$ 110.00				\$ 0.00
<input type="checkbox"/> First/second submission after Final Rejection pursuant to 37 CFR 1.129(a) (\$770.00)				\$ 0.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Please enter the previously unentered , filed				
<input type="checkbox"/> Submission attached				

**Subtotal \$ 0.00**

If "small entity," then enter half (1/2) of subtotal and subtract  
☐ Applicant claims "small entity" status. ☐ Statement filed herewith **-\$ 0.00**

Rule 56 Information Disclosure Statement Filing Fee (\$180.00) **\$ 0.00**

Assignment Recording Fee (\$40.00) **\$ 0.00**

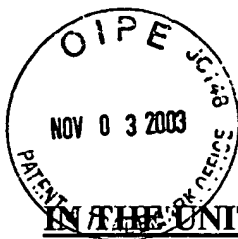
Other: **0.00**

**TOTAL FEE ENCLOSED \$ 0.00**

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency, or credit any overpayment, in the fee(s) filed, or asserted to be filed, or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our Account No. 14-1140. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

1100 North Glebe Road, 8<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Arlington, Virginia 22201-4714  
Telephone: (703) 816-4000  
Facsimile: (703) 816-4100  
JHN:glf

NIXON & VANDERHYE P.C.  
By Atty: Jeffery H. Nelson, Reg. No. 30,481  
Signature: J. H. Nelson



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

RECEIVED  
NOV 03 2003  
GROUP 1700

In re Patent Application of

NAIR et al.

Atty. Ref.: 839-1060

Serial No. 09/981,632

Group: 1725 Confirmation - 7028

Filed: October 18, 2001

Examiner: JOHNSON, Jonathan J.

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR CLEANING GENERATOR AND TURBINE  
COMPONENTS

\* \* \* \* \*

November 3, 2003

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

**AMENDMENT**

Responsive to the US Patent and Trademark Action of August 29, 2003, please  
amend this application as follows and consider the following remarks: